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SUBJECT: ANGOLA- FY 2006 SSH STATUS OF FUNDS SUMMARY REPORT

#### 1. PART A - PRIOR FISCAL YEAR FUNDS

FY 2005

SSH NUMBER: SSH-05-654-003  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 17,245  
UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: None  
DATE OBLIGATED: October 12, 2005  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2006  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: AFAMODSA  
PROVINCE: Luanda  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construct a center with a health office, an administrative office, two bathrooms, and five classrooms.  
STATUS: Project ongoing.  
AFAMODSA has used the USG funds to purchase construction materials for the skill center. The Small Grants Program is following up for impact-related results in the community. The project conclusion is dependent upon other donors' technical assistance.

SSH NUMBER: SSH-05-654-002  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 14, 213  
UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: None  
DATE OBLIGATED: October 12, 2005  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2006  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: Liga 4 de Abril  
PROVINCE: Namibe  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Buy construction material to build a school with three classrooms.  
STATUS: Project completed. The organization is working with local partners to set a date to officially inaugurate the school.

#### 2. PART B- CURRENT FISCAL YEAR (FY 2006) FUNDS

For FY06 Post received USD 60,000 for SSH activities totaling four projects, 46 percent of which has already been disbursed to NGOs.

SSH NUMBER: SSH-06-654-001  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 11,300  
ADVANCE: USD 3,300  
UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: 11,300  
DATE OBLIGATED: September 6, 2006  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2007  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: AGROMARKET  
PROVINCE: Huila  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construct an agricultural storage facility for a farmer's cooperative. The storage facility is used both for taking products to market and used to safeguard agricultural tools.  
STATUS: Activity began later than expected (June) due to the prolonged 2007 rainy season. Liquidation of the first advance has been requested in order to deliver the entire amount obligated. The organization has placed a portion of the necessary construction material on-site and expects to purchase the remaining material as soon it gets the second advance.

SSH NUMBER: SSH-06-654-002  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 14,996  
ADVANCE: USD 3,996

UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: USD 14,996  
DATE OBLIGATED: September 6, 2006  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2007  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: Cooperativa Agricola da Vila Branca  
PROVINCE: Huila  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Buy construction materials to construct a storage facility for farmers.  
STATUS: Project in progress. Activity was delayed due to the prolonged 2007 rainy season. The organization expects to purchase all construction materials in the near future and have them on-site to implement the project now that the roads have become more passable. The Cooperative League of the U.S. (CLUSA) monitors the project.

SSH NUMBER: SSH-06-654-003  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 18,704  
ADVANCE: USD 3,704  
UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: USD 18,704  
DATE OBLIGATED: September 6, 2006  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2007  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: AMADA  
PROVINCE: Huila  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Construct a storage facility which will also act as a meeting place and administrative center.  
STATUS: In progress. The same as the previous Cooperativa Agricola project. Both projects are supervised by CLUSA and activity began later than expected (June) due to rainy season. The organization expects to purchase all related construction material soon.

SSH NUMBER: SSH-06-654-004  
AMOUNT OBLIGATED: USD 15,000  
ADVANCE: USD 15,000  
UNLIQUIDATED BALANCE: USD 11,500  
DATE OBLIGATED: September 6, 2006  
COMPLETION DATE: September 30, 2007  
NAME OF A GRANTEE: Comunidade Forca de Vontade  
PROVINCE: Luanda  
PROJECT DESCRIPTION: Buy material and equipment for community garden such as barbed wire, 5,000 liter capacity water tanks, watering cans, wooden table stands, chairs, irrigation pipes, and stools.  
STATUS: Project in progress. After several site visits and a slow start, the Comunidade Forca de Vontade (Community Will Power NGO) has improved the management of its project. To date, the project consists of a twenty hectare community plot including five hectares of an already developed community garden. During the rainy season the organization produced beans, cassava, peanuts and corn. For the dry season, which runs from May 15 to August 31, the community will expand the amount of cultivated hectares and implement an irrigation system to grow vegetables such as cabbage, tomatoes, and lettuce. Due to the group's unique background, Swiss journalists from the Hirondelle Foundation are working on a documentary about this community of people who used to live in the city garbage dump and its efforts to fight poverty. The project coordinator was invited to lecture in Switzerland at the International Relations Institute and University of Development Studies.  
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